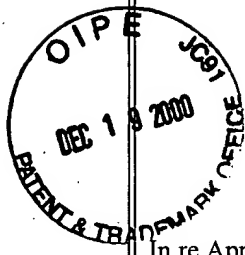


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
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Serial No.: 09/630,720 )  
) Group Art Unit: Unassigned  
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Filed: August 2, 2000 ) Examiner: Unassigned  
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For: CONTENT DISTRIBUTION )  
SYSTEM AND METHOD )

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the above application, please amend this application as follows:

IN THE TITLE:

Please replace the title of this application with the following new title:

--CONTENT DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM AND METHOD USING A PROXY--.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims ~~1-148~~, and add new claims ~~149-154~~ as follows:

- 149. A method for distributing content using a proxy, comprising the steps, performed by the proxy, of:
- intercepting a request from a client intended for a web server;
  - providing the intercepted request to the web server;
  - receiving from the web server a web page in response to the request;

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